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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 12 June 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fifty-fifth session

10 a.m. 102nd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Election of judges of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 [166]:

(a) Letter from the President of the Security Council (A/55/917)

(b) Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/55/918)

(c) Curricula vitae (A/55/919 and Add.1 and 2)

FIFTY-FIFTH REGULAR SESSION OF
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The 103rd plenary meeting of the General Assembly will take place on Thursday, 14 June 2001, to consider reports of the Fifth Committee (time and conference room to be announced).

Note: The PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA and the SUMMARY OF MEETINGS of bodies other than those of the General Assembly at its fifty-fifth regular session and twenty-fifth special session appear in Part II (English/French) of the present issue of the *Journal* (No. 2001/110 (Part II)).

SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

Thursday, 7 June 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Twenty-fifth special session

4th plenary meeting

Review and appraisal of progress made in the implementation of the Habitat Agenda [8]; *further actions and initiatives for overcoming obstacles to the implementation of the Habitat Agenda* [9]; *declaration on cities and other human settlements in the new millennium* [10]: *debate*:

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Joseph Oliva Franklin, Director-General of the National Office of Old-Age Insurance of Haiti; H.E. The Hon. Dr. Nickey Iyambo, MP, Minister of Regional and Local Government and Housing of Namibia; H.E. Mr. Natan Sharansky, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Construction and Housing of Israel; H.E. Mr. Seydou Sy Sall, Minister of Town Planning and National and Regional Development of Senegal; H.E. The Hon. Alfonso Gagliano, Minister of Public Works and Services of Canada; H.E. Mr. Claude Bartolone, Minister for the Cities of France; H.E. Mr. Mohamed El Yanzhi, Minister of National and Regional Development, Town Planning, Habitat and Environment of Morocco; H.E. The Hon. Jacob Nkate, Minister of Lands, Housing and the Environment of Botswana; H.E. Mr. Slaheddine Belaid, Minister of Equipment and Housing of Tunisia; H.E. Mr. László Miklós, Minister of the Environment of Slovakia; H.E. Mr. Im Chhun Lim, Minister of Territorial Organization, Urbanization and Construction of Cambodia; H.E. Dr. Mohammed Bin Ibrahim Al-Jarallah, Minister of Municipal and Rural Affairs of Saudi Arabia; H.E. Mr. Abraha Asfaha, Minister of Public Works of Eritrea; H.E. Mr. Guntis Pukitis, State Secretary of the Ministry of the Environmental Protection and Regional Development of Latvia; H.E. Mr. Erich Stather, Vice-Minister, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development of Germany; H.E. Mr. Karel Havlíček, Deputy Minister for Regional Development of the Czech Republic; H.E. Mr. Oleksandr Shlapak, Vice-Minister for Economy of Ukraine; H.E. Mr. Mohammed Al-Taloa, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Public Works and Urban Development of Yemen; H.E. Mr. Jargalsaikhany Enkhsaikhan, Chairman of the Delegation of Mongolia; H.E. Mr. Sergio Vento, Chairman of the Delegation of Italy; Mr. Yashar Aliyev, Chairman of the Delegation of Azerbaijan; H.E. Mrs. Aksoltan Ataeva, Chairman of the Delegation of Turkmenistan; H.E. Mr. Stefan Tafrov, Chairman of the Delegation of Bulgaria; H.E. Mr. Anund Priyay Neewoor, Chairman of the Delegation of Mauritius; H.E. Mr. Fotios-Jean Xydas, Chairman of the Delegation of Greece; H.E. Mr. Ion Botnaru, Chairman of the Delegation of the Republic of Moldova; H.E. Mr. Walter Balzan, Chairman of the Delegation of Malta; H.E. Mr. Hussain Shihab, Chairman of the Delegation of Maldives; and H.E. Mr. Kamil Baialinov, Chairman of the Delegation of Kyrgyzstan.

In accordance with the decision taken at the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 June 2001, the General Assembly heard a statement by Ms. Narelle Townsend, President of the NGO Committee on Human Settlements.

Statements in the right of reply were made by the representatives of Armenia and Egypt.

The Observer of Palestine made a statement in the right of reply.

Friday, 8 June 2001

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Twenty-fifth special session

5th plenary meeting

Credentials of representatives to the twenty-fifth special session of the General Assembly: report of the Credentials Committee (A/S-25/6) [3 (b)]

The General Assembly adopted the resolution recommended by the Credentials Committee in paragraph 15 of its report (A/S-25/6) (resolution S-25/1).

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 3 (b).

Review and appraisal of progress made in the implementation of the Habitat Agenda [8]; *further actions and initiatives for overcoming obstacles to the implementation of the Habitat Agenda* [9]; *declaration on cities and other human settlements in the new millennium* [10]: *debate*:

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. The Hon. Seymour Mullings, MP, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Land and Environment of Jamaica; H.E. Mr. Miguel Cárdenas, Minister of Housing of Panama; H.E. Mr. Jaime Ravinet, Minister of Housing, Urban Affairs and National Assets of Chile; H.E. Mr. Alfred Bobson Sesay, Minister of Lands, Housing, Country Planning and the Environment of Sierra Leone; H.E. The Hon. Garba Madaki Ali, Minister of State for Works and Housing of Nigeria; H.E. Mr. Dragoslav Sumarac, Minister of Urban Planning and Construction of Yugoslavia; H.E. The Hon. Kwamena Bartels, MP, Minister of Works and Housing of Ghana; H.E. The Hon. Mopshatla Mabitle, Minister of Local Government of Lesotho; H.E. The Hon. Ophelia Hoff Syatumah, Representative of Liberia and Acting Mayor of Monrovia; H.E. Mr. Bouathong Vonglokham, Minister for Communication, Transport, Posts and Construction of the Lao People's Democratic Republic; H.E. Mrs. María Eugenia Brizuela de Ávila, Minister for Foreign Affairs of El Salvador; H.E. Mr. Péter Szaló, Deputy State Secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of Hungary; H.E. Mr. David Aptsiauri, Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Georgia; H.E. Mr. Marjan Dodovski, Vice-Minister of Environment and Physical Planning of the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; H.E. Mr. Henrique Cossa, Vice-Minister of Public Works and Housing of Mozambique; H.E. Mr. Birhanu Tamrat, Vice-Minister, Ministry of Work and Urban Development of Ethiopia; H.E. Mr. Adlan El Siddig Elkhalifa, Secretary-General of the National Council for Physical Development, Ministry of the Environment and Physical Development of the Sudan; H.E. Mr. Cristián Cordova Cordero, Vice-Minister of Housing and Urban Development of Ecuador; Ms. Myrna Pitt, Chief Exe-

cutive Officer, Central Housing and Planning Authority of Guyana; H. E. Mr. Jorge Lara-Castro, Chairman of the Delegation of Paraguay; Mr. Jamal Albader, Representative of Qatar; H.E. Mr. Kishore Mahbubani, Chairman of the Delegation of Singapore; Mr. Norberto Walter Pazos, Under-Secretary for Urban Planning and Housing, Ministry of Infrastructure and Housing of Argentina; H.E. Mr. Ahmed El-Atrash, Chairman of the Delegation of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya; H.E. Ms. Nathanon Thavisin, Deputy Permanent Secretary of Bangkok Metropolitan Administration of Thailand; Mr. Tõnis Kõiv, Vice-Chairman of the Delegation of Estonia and Mayor of the City of Paide; Mr. Atoki Ileka, Chairman of the Delegation of the Democratic Republic of the Congo; and H.E. Mr. Basile Ikouebe, Chairman of the Delegation of the Congo.

In accordance with the decision taken at the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 June 2001, the General Assembly heard a statement by Mr. Klaus Toepfer, Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme.

In accordance with the decision taken at the 1st plenary meeting, on 6 June 2001, the General Assembly heard a statement by Ms. Jan Peterson, President of Grassroots Organizations Operating Together in Sisterhood.

6th plenary meeting

Note: The summary of the 6th plenary meeting of the General Assembly will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2001/111 (Part I)).

AH HOC COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH SPECIAL SESSION — 3rd and 4th meetings

Note: The summary of the 3rd and 4th meetings of the Ad Hoc Committee of the Whole will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2001/111 (Part I)).

THEMATIC COMMITTEE — 5th meeting

Presentations were made by the representatives of Thailand (Urban Poor Community Development Fund), Peru (Participatory planning and budgeting in Villa El Salvador) and Morocco (Reduction of urban poverty).

The Committee adopted general conclusions.

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